

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
LABOUR  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3695  
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2000  
CHILD LABOUR IN MEHENDI INDUSTRY  
JASWANT SINGH YADAV;SURESH RAMRAO JADHAV (PATIL)

**Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government are aware of exploitation of Child Labour engaged in `Mehendi` industries in the country particularly in Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Labour Law is applicable on child labour engaged in these industries; and
- (d) if so, the steps taken by the Government to stop exploitation of such child labour?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF LABOUR ( DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA )

(a) to (d): As per information received from State Government of Rajasthan, no complaint has been received regarding exploitation of child labour in Mehendi industry in Pali district. As per records, no child labourers are employed in Mehendi industry in the state.